

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace our prior versions and listing of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1-19. (cancelled)

20. (new) A partitioning device for sealingly closing an opening consisting of one of a doorway or window in a building, said partitioning device comprising:

a panel having a plurality of pre-sized body portions separated by a plurality of seam portions, each pre-sized body portion including a sealing side, a first longitudinal edge portion, and a second longitudinal edge portion, wherein said plurality of body portions are detachable from said panel at said plurality of seam portions, whereby said body portions are made detachable by perforations along each seam portion;

a door opening in each of said body portions having an opening edge, a door having a closing edge for selectively engaging said opening edge, said opening edge including a first hook and loop-type connector and said closing edge including a second hook and loop-type connector adapted to selectively and repeatedly engage first hook and loop-type connector, and a hinge pivotally attaching said door;

an adhesive trim disposed on said sealing side of said panel along said first and second longitudinal edge portions and generally adjacent to each side of said plurality of seam portions; and

a package trim attached to said adhesive trim, wherein said package trim is removable to enable said plurality of body portions to be sealingly adhered around the opening.

21. (new) The partitioning device of claim 20, wherein said panel may be deployed as a roll capable of dispensing individual pre-sized body portions.

22. (new) The partitioning device of claim 20, wherein said adhesive trim includes double-sided tape.

23. (new) The partitioning device of claim 20, wherein said package trim includes waxed paper.

24. (new) A partitioning device for sealingly closing an opening consisting of one of a doorway or window in a building, said partitioning device comprising:

a pre-sized panel having a sealing side including a perimeter portion, wherein said pre-sized panel includes a sealing wall and a working wall forming a chamber therebetween;

an adhesive trim disposed on said perimeter portion of said sealing side, said pre-sized panel and said adhesive trim being sized and configured to seal the opening of the building; and

a package trim attached to said adhesive trim, wherein said package trim is removable to expose said adhesive trim and enable said panel to be sealingly adhered around the opening.

25. (new) The partitioning device of claim 24, wherein said adhesive trim includes double-sided tape.

26. (new) The partitioning device of claim 24, wherein said package trim includes waxed paper.

27. (new) The partitioning device of claim 24, wherein said pre-sized panel includes an opening for forcing a mass into said chamber.

28. (new) The partitioning device of claim 27, wherein said mass is air.

29. (new) The partitioning device of claim 27, wherein said opening includes a check valve.